

BLUEPRINT 2000

The Blueprint 2000 program is based on a concept of holistic infrastructure planning. There are several components of Blueprint that link together and focus on the numerous aspects and benefits to the community. Factors that become connected and are positively affected by the holistic planning approach are current flooding and stormwater management/ water quality retrofits, alternative transportation provisions and public accessibility, greenway development, and improved land use compatibility.

Executive Director Jim Davis joined Blueprint 2000 in 2002. Prior to the intergovernmental agency, Davis worked with the Florida Department of Transportation as the Deputy Director for Facilities and Equipment in the Office of Toll Operations, serving as the senior project manager for the Statewide SunPass Program.

He also served in the U.S. Army and retired as a Colonel. Davis took on a wide variety of assignments during his military service, including the management of an airbase in the Republic of Honduras, Chief of Staff Special Operations Command in Korea and Professor of Military Science at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte. He holds a bachelor's degree in Accounting and Finance and a master's degree in Contracts and Acquisition Management.



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- Began construction on Cascade Park in July 2010. While residents will largely use Cascade Park as a recreational area, it will also serve as a much-needed stormwater management facility. Spanning 24 acres, the park will include green spaces and ponds, biking and walking trails, outdoor amphitheater and other historical and cultural amenities for the Leon County community.

- Moved forward on the design and permitting for the double-box culvert between South Monroe Street and South Adams Street; design and permits for the Coal Chute Pond west of Railroad Square, including coordination with the Railroad Square consultants and the City of Tallahassee/CRA; purchase of right-of-way; and 60% design plans for a pond located at the southern end of Capital Cascade Trail.



- Initiated the Segment 3 Overall Concept Plan update, which is consistent with the City of Tallahassee's FAMU Way Extension design. The purpose of the update is to incorporate the ditch stabilization and Coal Chute Pond improvements that have already been approved and provide overall trail and amenity concepts for areas that will be designed and constructed under the next phase.
- Selected a consultant for the design of the Capital Cascade Connector Bridge. The proposed bridge will span South Monroe Street just south of the existing railroad overpass, connecting

Cascade Park with Segment 3 of the Capital Cascade Trail and the proposed improvements along FAMU Way. The project design is partially funded from a Transportation Enhancement Grant (\$150,000) provided by the Florida Department of Transportation.

- Completed the construction of the Capital Circle Southeast project, from Woodville Highway to Tram Road in October 2010, increasing the capacity and safety of the existing highway.

- Funded a design/build project for Capital Circle Southeast to construct the seven-lane roadway from west of Woodville Highway to just east of Crawfordville Road thanks to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.



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